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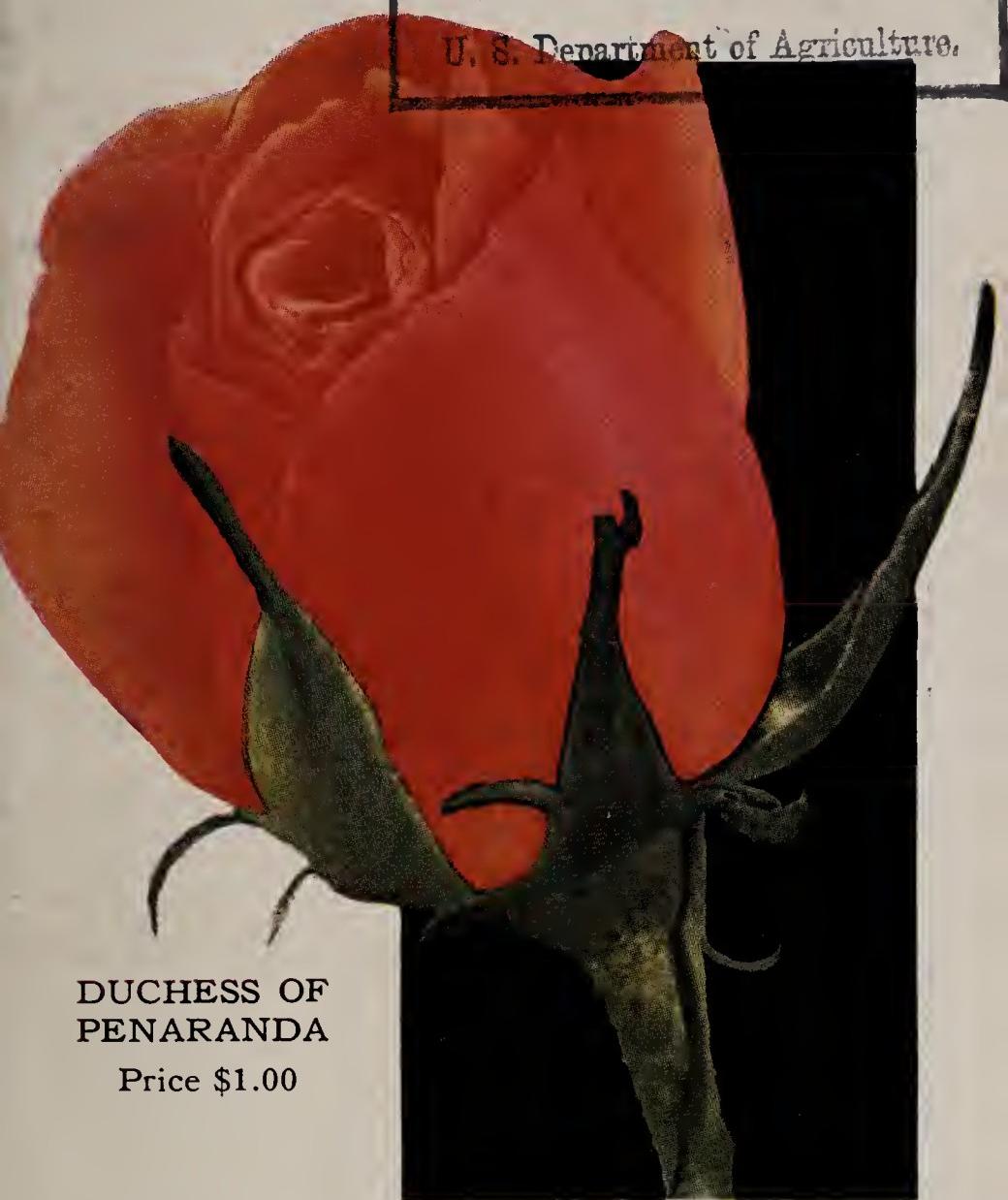
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DUCHESS OF  
PENARANDA

Price \$1.00

Roses • •

1936 - 1937



*Plant Patent No. 102*

**LUIS BRINAS**  
Price \$1.25

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## “WHEN THE ROSES ARE IN BLOOM”

FRANCESCA FALK MILLER



There's a Rambler on the trellis,  
And a wild rose in the hedge,  
With a gay and golden Marechal Neil  
Upon the Arbor's edge.  
There's a Sweetheart bud a-tapping  
At the window of my room,  
And my heart is singing . . . singing . . .  
For the roses are in bloom!

Oh! the crimson of each sunset  
And the glowing pink at dawn,  
Royal colors of the roses  
Holding court upon the lawn.  
Oh, the joy, the smiles, the fragrance,  
Of a land that knows no gloom;  
Just a peaceful, sunkissed heaven  
When the roses are in bloom!

## Roses



In presenting this little rose booklet this season, we wish to say, we have endeavored to give as accurate a description of the roses as is possible. We try to omit any flowery description unless entirely deserving and to mention serious faults as well. Practically all of the varieties listed have been tried in various sections, so a fairly accurate knowledge of their characteristics is given. It must be remembered, however, that roses vary in different soils and climates. We have given the average height of many roses; these also vary noticeably depending on soil, fertilizing and pruning. The stock offered this season is exceptionally strong and healthy. All plants are guaranteed to be true to name and to reach the purchaser in perfect condition. Should any be found otherwise they will be replaced or money refunded. If in doubt as to varieties best adapted to your locality, we shall be glad to assist you in your selection.

This season we are pleased to announce that we have secured growing rights of the famous Spanish roses originated by Pedro Dot of Barcelona, Spain, and distributed in America by the Conard-Pyle Company. These roses are particularly adapted to the Pacific Coast conditions.

The prices quoted are for strictly number one, two-year-old, field grown stock. A No.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  grade sells for 20 per cent less than a No. 1. Small inferior stock I do not sell.

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## CHRISTMAS GIFTS



Rose bushes make lovely Christmas gifts; one that the whole family will enjoy.

We shall be glad to mail gift roses with your greeting card on the day you designate. Include a lapel bud vase, a nickel plated bud vase for the gent's buttonhole which sells for seventy-five cents.

## Novelties



### ALEZANE (Pahissa 1934) \$1.50

Bud urn shaped, large reddish brown; flowers cupped opening to sorrel, unfurling from sorrel to rich apricot and reverse of petals sorrel striped with yellow veins. Growth very vigorous, upright branching dark green foliage. (Description of introducer.) Plant Patent No. 116.

### AMBASSADOR (Premier Rose Co. 1930) \$.75

A sport of Talisman that is a great favorite. A bud with the same form as Talisman but having a uniform bronzy-salmon color. Foliage and type of growth same as Talisman. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower. Plant Patent No. 11.

### ANGELS MATEU (Pedro Dot 1934) \$1.50

After growing this rose for the past two years, it can be truthfully said, it is one of the finest roses in recent years. Some Rosarians call it Pedro Dot's masterpiece and that is a very high tribute. Having Duchess of Penaranda as one of its parents, the form of the flower is very similar and it has that same dark green, glossy, disease resistant foliage and grows about three feet high. The color is new in roses; it is a deep shade of old rose lightly flushed with orange and the petals have an iridescent sheen. The flowers are large, often five inches in diameter, with about fifty petals. An excellent cut flower with the fragrance of ripe blackberries. A prolific bloomer, apparently excellent in all sections of the U. S. judging from the reports. Plant Patent No. 174. (See color cut.)

### DELIGHTFUL (McGredy 1931) \$1.00

Delightful is a very distinct rose and well named. The outer petals are amber-yellow with the inner side a sparkling rose, which makes a very attractive combination. The buds are large, full, and of exhibition form with beautifully reflexed petals; a fine cut flower. Plant is low and bushy, about two feet, with dark green, disease resistant foliage.

### DIRECTEUR GUERIN (J. Gaujard 1935) \$1.50

For those who love to grow the ideal exhibition rose, Directeur Guerin should surely please. It is described as a very large full rose of perfect form. Color is a peculiar mixture of yellow and buff. (Description of Introducer.) Patent applied for.

## DUCHESS OF PENARANDA

(P. Dot 1931)

\$1.00

Without a doubt, one of the finest roses in commerce today. Duchess of Penaranda offers two distinct shades to its admirers. In the spring and summer the large pointed buds open to a large, double flower of coppery apricot and sometimes showing a dark pink cast. In the fall, the color is deeper and shows more of the bronzy shades. Regardless of when you see it the bloom is exquisite and fades but little. Quite fragrant. Not alone is the flower beautiful, as the foliage is just as lovely and very free of disease. The bush is a very strong, upright grower and a prolific bloomer. Excellent in all localities. (See picture on the cover.)

## ECLIPSE (J. H. Nicolas 1936)

\$1.50

This rose has won several medals this year on its perfect form. The buds are very long and when the attractive sepals open showing the golden petals, it is very attractive. The open flower is not as lovely; fifteen petals. A prolific bloomer on a strong, upright, four-foot bush. Plant Patent No. 172.

## EMPRESS (Chaplin Bros. 1933)

\$1.00

In the year we have grown this rose, it has shown up very well. It is an excellently formed, exhibition type, double flower, of bright rose pink, inlaid with salmon, borne on a long stiff stem. The plant is a vigorous upright grower, about four feet, with dark green leathery foliage. Awarded Clay cup for fragrance in 1932. A continuous bloomer. This rose should not be confused with "Impress."

## FEU PERNET DUCHER

(H. C. Mallerin 1934)

\$1.50

In some sections this rose is claimed to be among the finest, but we do not know it well enough to comment. It is described as a creamy bud, marked with carmine, opening to a spiral flower of rich yellow, growing lighter toward the edges. The autumn flowers are a rich golden yellow, shading lighter at the edges, at times having a pink tinge. The blooms have about eighty petals. Fragrant. A most prolific bloomer and grower (4 ft.) with glossy, disease resistant foliage. Plant Patent No. 103.

## GLOAMING (J. H. Nicolas 1935)

\$1.50

A cut flower variety which has proven a "winner" wherever grown. Its long buds are carried on long rigid stems amply clothed with handsome foliage. The plant is vigorous, branching, and fairly tall growing. Bloom is of unusual coloring—fawn orange in the bud and the large full blooms are of a peculiar pink overlaid with salmon. (Description of the Introducer.) Plant Patent No. 137.

**HINRICH GAEDE (Kordes 1932) \$1.00**

Another grand and glorious new rose. Hinrich Gaede is among the finest of the new roses with most striking colors. The bud is a clear nasturtium red opening to a large very double flower of orange red. A most prolific bloomer; bush is a vigorous grower with glossy bronzy green foliage.

**KATHARINE PECTOLE**

**(Verschuren-Pectole 1934) \$1.00**

For those who love to grow the long slender perfectly formed buds, Katharine Pectole should prove very pleasing. The color is a rich shade of old gold and orange or a terra cotta. While only semi-double and not fragrant, its perfect form and color make it worth growing.

**LUCIA ZULOAGA (P. Dot 1934) \$.75**

Lucia Zuloaga offers a color different from any other rose. It is a deep brownish scarlet with a golden undertone. While it has from but fifteen to twenty petals, it is very attractive both in the bud and open flower; very prolific in its bloom. The plant is a vigorous, spreading grower (2 ft.) with perfect glossy green foliage that has been absolutely free of disease this year.

**LUIS BRINAS (P. Dot 1934) \$1.25**

This Spanish rose was awarded the Gold Medal at Portland Test Garden in 1935 and is one of the finest roses in the Northwest as well as in the cooler sections of California. The fine pointed buds of orange copper open to a full double, high centered flower of soft old rose, flushed gold. The plant is a very vigorous, upright grower (4 ft.) with thick, leathery, disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer and fragrant. Plant Patent No. 102.

**MATADOR (Van Rossem 1935) \$1.50**

This rose shows up very well in the field. It is a large full rose, well formed, scarlet crimson with darker silky sheen on the reverse, very perfumed, vigorous, healthy plant. (Description of the Introducer.) Plant Patent No. 170.

**McGREDY'S TRIUMPH**

**(McGredy 1935) \$1.50**

A real triumph! A large ovoid bud, cerise overshadowed with orange opening to a large double cup shaped flower of geranium red flushed with orange. A good cut flower and prolific bloomer. The plant is a spreading grower (2 ft.) with large reddish green foliage. Mildews slightly in some regions. Patent applied for.

## MME. COCHET-COCHET

(C. Mallerin 1934)

\$1.50

This lovely new rose from France is named in honor of the famous Cochet family. The long pointed buds are coppery pink flushed with orange and open to a large flower of the same color. Although the flower has only about twenty petals, it is very attractive in the open stage. Moderately fragrant. Plants are tall with good foliage. Plant Patent No. 129.

## OSWALD SIEPER (M. Krause 1933) \$ .75

In some sections of the country this rose is considered by far the best white hybrid tea rose. It looks excellent wherever we have seen it. It has a nicely formed bud of pale cream which opens to a large double flower of creamy white with a rich tea fragrance. A very prolific bloomer. Fine as an exhibition and cut flower. Plant is a vigorous grower (2½ ft.) with excellent glossy green foliage.

## PICTURE (McGredy 1932) \$1.00

The first time we saw this rose, we realized it was as pretty as a "Picture." Every rose seems to be perfectly formed. It is a medium sized double flower with a perfectly formed high pointed center, with outer petals reflexed and unusually lasting. The color is a warm, cheerful lasting velvety rose pink, with an undertone of salmon. Tea fragrance. The plant is a vigorous medium grower (2 ft.) with fine thick dark green, disease resistant foliage. An abundant bloomer.

## SAN DIEGO (Forrest L. Hieatt 1935) \$1.00

This new rose won the Gold Medal at the National Rose Show in San Diego. A fine two-toned yellow, whose form is good from bud to fully opened bloom, which matures to a pleasing buff. The flower is of medium size, double and a prolific bloomer. Plant is a vigorous, bushy grower with bright, clean, glossy, disease resistant foliage. Delivery after January 1st.

## SIGNORA (Aicardi 1934) \$2.00

This rose from Italy is a real masterpiece, in both plant and bloom. Long bud of a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarine. The plant is a tall grower (4 ft.) with every bloom on a long strong stem. Foliage is handsome. Indispensable for those who grow roses for cutting. (Colle Oppio Gold Medal 1935.) Plant patent applied for.

## SOUTHPORT (McGredy 1934) \$1.00

Southport continues to live up to its reputation as one of our best red roses. In most sections, it has proven very satisfactory. The bud is long, pointed, of a very vivid scarlet with a delightful sheen, the color fading but little in the open flower. About twenty petals. An exceptionally heavy bloomer. Plant is a strong, upright grower (4 ft.) with reddish green foliage. It does mildew slightly in some sections.

**TEXAS CENTENNIAL  
(Dixie Rose Co. 1935)**

\$1.00

Texas Centennial is a sport of the popular rose President Hoover. Type of growth is the same although it appears to have more and better foliage. Quite prolific in bloom. Flowers are a brick red, having a faint tinge of gold, with a lighter center. In the field this year, the rose has shown up very well. A splendid exhibition rose. Plant Patent No. 162.

**VICTORIA HARRINGTON (1935) \$1.00**

A velvety, nonfading very dark red, with a bud that is still darker. The golden sheen from the center of the flower increases as it opens. Petals still red when they drop. Bush strong and vigorous with clean foliage; a prolific bloomer.

**WILL ROGERS****(Howard & Smith 1936)**

\$1.00

This rose was named in honor of our late Will Rogers and is described as a deep velvety crimson maroon. Very double and a free bloomer. Bush is strong and vigorous with dark green foliage. This is the description of the introducer as we have not seen the rose and are obtaining the plants from the introducer. We cannot vouch for the description or guarantee the stock. Delivery after Jan. 1st. Patent applied for.

Rosarians will greatly benefit by belonging to the American Rose Society. The Rose Annual and Quarterly Magazines are filled with interest and information. We will be pleased to send you an application blank. Annual dues are \$3.50.

## *General List of Choice Roses*



**AMAMI**

\$ .50

A very large semi-double flower of soft peach pink, most attractive when used in a low bowl. A vigorous growing plant with very few thorns. Stems are long with light green foliage.

**AMI QUINARD**

\$ .60

One of our darkest red roses. Buds are almost black, opening to a semi-double flower of velvety crimson maroon with a soft black lustre. A prolific bloomer and fragrant. Bush is a strong upright grower with thick leathery foliage.

**ANGELE PERNET**

\$ .60

This rose is still the best of its type and color. A beautiful orange yellow shaded deep reddish-apricot. The flower has a fine form, semi-double and is borne on strong stiff stems. A fine cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a moderate grower with clean glossy foliage that is very free of disease. Will not stand heavy pruning.

**AUTUMN (Coddington 1928)**

\$ .50

Very popular again this year. An unusual combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick glossy foliage. Mildews in some locations.

**CATALONIA (Pedro Dot)**

\$ .75

Those who enjoy a splash of Spanish colors will find all they are looking for in Catalonia. The bud is large, ovoid, opening to a very double flower of bright scarlet shaded orange. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower and prolific bloomer. Excellent as a vivid bedding rose.

**CATHRINE KORDES (Kordes 1930)** \$ .60

One of the most perfectly formed roses we have. The flowers are large, double, and a carmine-scarlet. Moderately fragrant. A good cut flower; prolific bloomer. Plants are strong and vigorous with reddish green foliage. Subject to mildew in unfavorable locations.

**CECIL**

\$ .60

The best single yellow. Flowers quite large and a clear buttercup yellow. Produced in clusters. Bush is a strong spreading grower with large glossy foliage.

**CHAS. P. KILHAM (Beckwith 1926)**

\$ .50

A most perfectly formed long pointed bud of rich oriental red suffused with red and orange, and opening to a double, high centered flower of the same shade. A vigorous spreading grower with excellent foliage.

## COUNTESS OF SASTAGO

(P. Dot 1932)

\$ .75

A Spanish novelty carrying the vivid colors of the brilliant species rose, Austrian Copper. The flower is a deep reddish copper on the inside of the petals with a reverse of deep yellow; moderately large, double, fragrant rose and borne on long strong stems. The bush is an exceptionally strong upright grower with an abundance of thick, leathery, glossy foliage that is exceptionally free of disease.

## CUBA

\$ .50

A vigorous growing upright bush producing a profusion of brilliant orange scarlet semi-double flowers. Excellent as a garden rose but not good as a cut flower.

## CYNTHIA (Verschuren-Pectole 1933) \$ .75

The bloom of Cynthia reminds one of an improved Chas. P. Kilham. The long pointed buds open to a splendid flower of rich Oriental red. Very fine as a cut flower and a prolific bloomer. The bush is a vigorous medium height grower (3 ft.) with heavy dark green foliage.

## DAINTY BESS

\$ .50

Considered by many to be the best single rose. A medium size flower with crinkled and wavy petals of a soft rose pink. The bright crimson stamens make a very pleasing contrast. A good cut flower if cut in bud. A vigorous upright grower and prolific bloomer.

## DAZLA (Cant. 1930)

\$ .50

And what a dazzling color this is! A large semi-double rose with waved petals of brilliant orange scarlet with a golden base. The open flowers are from 4 to 5 inches across. A vigorous spreading grower giving bloom throughout the season. Recommended to give color in the garden.

## DIANA De BROGLIE

(C. Chambard)

\$ .75

One of our most beautiful roses. A medium size, pointed bud opening to a double, moderately fragrant flower of a beautiful shade of coral apricot with no other shadings. A vigorous upright grower with large glossy disease resistant foliage.

## DIREKTOR RUBIO (P. Dot 1928)

\$ .75

A large, long pointed bud opening to an exceptionally large semi-double flower of magenta red, borne singly on strong stiff stems. A vigorous, upright grower and abundant bloomer.

**DUCHESS OF ATHOLL (Dobbie 1928) \$ .50**

A most attractive rose in both bud form and in the open flower. A medium size, ovoid bud of deep bronze opening to a large, cupped, fragrant flower of golden bronze flushed with pink. A vigorous spreading grower with clean, glossy, disease resistant foliage.

**E. G. HILL (Hill 1929) \$ .50**

A very large rose of dazzling scarlet shading to a deeper red. Very double and exceedingly fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower. A moderate grower and free bloomer. One of the best reds.

**ETOILE De HOLLAND \$ .50**

By far the best of the better known red roses. A beautiful dark velvety red that does not blue. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

**FEDERICO CASAS (Pedro Dot 1931) \$ .75**

Another of Pedro Dot's roses carrying the brilliant flashy colors of Spain. The beautiful reddish-orange buds open to a semi-double flower of coppery pink with considerable yellow in the center. A tall strong grower with excellent foliage. Fine as a cut flower; fragrant. Excellent in all sections.

**FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS \$ .50**

Another fine rose that everyone should have. A long pointed bud that opens to a beautiful flower of orange apricot. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower with glossy, disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

**FLOREX \$ .50**

This bright coral salmon is one of our best garden varieties. It has a long pointed bud with thick leathery petals. An excellent cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a tall upright grower with large firm leaves that are disease resistant. A free bloomer.

**GIPSY LASS (Dickson & Sons 1932) \$ .75**

The ovoid bud of this rose opens to a very double globular, fragrant rose of rich scarlet crimson with blackish shadings. The stems are long and willowy. The bush is a vigorous bushy grower with good foliage. A continuous bloomer with very lasting color qualities.

**GOLDEN DAWN (Grant 1929) \$ .50**

An Australian rose that has proven a success in this country. A sweetly scented, very double flower of rich sunflower yellow passing to lemon yellow with age. The bush is a very vigorous, bushy grower with an abundance of large, clean, disease resistant foliage. Fine as a cut flower.

### GOLDEN EMBLEM

\$ .60

The best yellow rose in most sections of California. Rich golden yellow, heavily splashed with red. Splendid thick glossy foliage. A strong grower but will not stand heavy pruning. An excellent exhibition rose but subject to die-back.

### GOLDEN RAPTURE

\$ .75

A splendid new yellow rose with a lovely tone of pure canary yellow with a splendidly formed bud and quite fragrant. A vigorous grower (3 ft.) with nice leathery foliage.

### GROOTENDORST (Pink)

\$ .50

A rugosa rose used for hedges or as a shrub. A strong growing bush with thick crinkly foliage that does not mildew. The flower resembles a carnation in form but smaller. Color a bright pink. May be pruned in formal shape.

### GRUSS AN COBURG (Felburg 1927) \$ .50

A very attractive medium size flower of apricot yellow and extremely fragrant. It is a vigorous upright grower with disease resistant foliage. Does well in a shady location.

### HOOSIER BEAUTY

\$ .50

Dark velvety red and very fragrant. A fine cut flower. A moderate growing bush and free bloomer.

### IMPRESS (A. Dickson 1929)

\$ .50

A large camellia shaped flower of rosy red with orange suffusion. While not an especially vigorous grower, the growth is short and robust, producing a profusion of bloom. This rose seems to be best in early spring and late fall.

### INNOCENCE

\$ .50

Large semi-single white with golden yellow stamens. Bush a moderate grower with dark green, disease resistant foliage. The best white of its type.

### ISOBEL

\$ .50

A strong growing bush bearing a profusion of long pointed buds that open to large flowers of carmine red shaded yellow. Considered one of the best of the singles. Tall grower.

### I. ZINGARI

\$ .50

A semi-single medium sized flower of blazing orange-scarlet borne several together on medium size stem. Very good to give color in the garden. A strong spreading grower and prolific bloomer. Prefers cool climate.

**JOANNA HILL (Hill 1928)** \$ .50

A fine yellow rose with a perfect form. The outer petals are a clear sulphur yellow and the inner a deeper tone. A vigorous upright grower. A fine cut flower and fragrant.

**J. OTTO THILOW** \$ .50

This is one of the finest, most perfectly formed pink roses. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer. Growth is vigorous and with an abundance of thick leathery foliage. An exhibition rose.

**LADY FORTEVIOT** \$ .50

A rose similar in form to Angele Pernet. It is a golden yellow changing to deep apricot and having a very pleasing fragrance. A vigorous, bushy grower with glossy, bronzy-green foliage and a continuous bloomer. Excellent in nearly all sections.

**LADY MARY ELIZABETH** \$ .60  
**(Dickson 1927)**

This is a fine rose for coastal regions. The long pointed buds open to a large, double flower of brilliant carmine pink. Fragrant. Bush is a vigorous upright grower with dark green foliage.

**LOS ANGELES** \$ .50

Flame pink toned with coral and gold. Strong grower and prolific bloomer. Subject to mildew.

**LORD LONSDALE** \$ .75  
**(A. Dixon & Sons 1933)**

One of the finest clear deep yellow roses in commerce is our candid opinion of Lord Lonsdale. It has been most dependable; a very prolific bloomer with perfectly formed buds of orange-yellow opening to a full double, high centered fragrant flower on strong stem. A fine cut flower. Bush is a vigorous, upright grower (2½ ft.) with an abundance of large glossy light green foliage.

**LOUISE C. BRESLAU** \$ .50

One of our finest roses. A large, very double rose of coral red shaded apricot, borne on strong stiff stems. Heavy leathery, glossy foliage. A fine cut flower and moderately fragrant.

**MARGARET McGREDY** \$ .50

A fine rose for a cool climate. A brilliant orange scarlet rose with heavy petals. A vigorous bushy grower with an abundance of foliage, a prolific bloomer.

**MARI DOT (P. Dot 1927)** \$ .60

Another rose of Spanish origin that is very distinctive. It has a color unlike that found in any other rose, a beautiful clear shade of reddish salmon yellow with a satiny sheen. As the flower opens the color passes to clear bright salmon and salmon pink with gold at the base of the petals. Moderately fragrant. The bush is a strong spreading grower with healthy, glossy foliage. A prolific bloomer.

**MAX KRAUSE (Krause 1930)** \$ .60

We hardly know what to say about Max Krause this year. It shows up beautifully in the field, but after transplanting, the reports have been varied. Some have had excellent results, while others were disappointed. Experience shows this rose does not like heavy pruning. The long pointed bud is a reddish-orange opening to a large flower of golden yellow with fine substance. Moderately fragrant. Bush is a vigorous grower and upright (4 ft.) with exceptionally nice foliage.

**McGREDY'S GEM**

**(McGredy & Sons 1933)** \$ .60

Here is a double rose with a high pointed center. The color is a creamy pink while the edges of the petals show a rose pink. The bush is a very vigorous grower (3½ ft.) and a free bloomer. Probably best in the Northwest. Mildews in some regions.

**McGREDY'S IVORY (McGredy 1929) \$ .75**

Probably the best white rose. The buds are long and pointed, opening to a perfectly formed flower of creamy white with a light yellow at the base of petals. The bush is a strong grower with excellent foliage. A prolific bloomer. Excellent as a cut flower and for exhibition.

**MOSS ROSE, GOLDEN (P. Dot 1932) \$ .50**

This is the first yellow moss rose to be produced. This past season the blooms were a creamy white rather than yellow. An exceptionally strong grower. Like all moss roses, this one is subject to mildew. Fragrant.

**MOSS ROSE (Pink)** \$ .50

This is a very good clear pink with calyx heavily mossed. A strong grower.

**MOSS ROSE (Cerise)** \$ .50

A rose neither pink nor red—nearer cerise. Growth and habits same as other moss roses.







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## ANGELS MATEU (Pedro Dot, 1934)

*Plant Patent No. 174*

One of the finest Roses in commerce today

\$1.50 each

\$15 per dozen



**MRS. E. P. THOM**

\$ .50

Probably the best clear yellow rose for most sections of the west. A medium size, moderately fragrant rose of deep canary yellow with no other shadings. A strong bushy grower with glossy foliage. An exceedingly prolific bloomer.

**MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM**

(Van Rossem 1926)

\$ .50

The large ovoid bud opens to a very double, fragrant flower of heavily flamed and shaded orange and apricot on a yellow background. The reverse side of the petal is often a dark bronze. The plant is a vigorous grower with beautiful dark leathery foliage that is disease resistant. A prolific bloomer and a fine cut flower. Although good in all locations, it is particularly fine in a cool or foggy location.

**MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT**

(Mallerin, 1929)

\$ .60

For color and form, this rose is among the best. It won the Bagatelle prize in Paris for the best yellow rose. The bud is of medium size, pointed, and of a beautiful reddish gold opening to semi-double, very fragrant flower of deep golden yellow. A strong growing plant with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. The most prolific bloomer of all the yellow roses. Highly recommended.

**MRS. SAM McGREDY**

(McGredy 1929)

\$ .60

This rose is probably the best of the roses that this famous hybridizer has produced, and one of the best garden roses in commerce. It has a wonderful combination of colors, scarlet, orange heavily flushed with Lincoln red on outside of petals. Buds are large and long pointed, flowers double, fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong grower with abundant glossy foliage; young foliage a dark reddish green. A prolific bloomer.

**PORTADOWN FRAGRANCE**

(McGredy 1931)

\$ .60

And what a fragrance! A very double flower of orange-salmon pink with a silver sheen. A low spreading bushy grower with thick bronzy foliage. A profuse bloomer. Winner of the Clay Cup for fragrance.

**PRESIDENT PLUMCOCQ**

(Gaujard 1931)

\$ .60

A medium size, ovoid bud opening to a large, double, cupped flower of soft coppery buff. Bush is a strong upright grower with healthy foliage. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. An excellent rose.

## PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER

(Coddington 1930)

\$ .50

This rose continues to be very popular with many. It has a long pointed bud of orange scarlet opening to a very large flower of orange and pink. As the flower ages the bright colors fade to a creamy pink. The petals of this rose have such wonderful substance that it is an unusually fine cut flower. A very strong upright grower. Mildews slightly.

## RAPTURE

\$ .50

The best of the Ophelia family. A long pointed bud of pink shaded apricot. A strong grower and fragrant.

## RED HOOVER

\$ .60

This sport of Pres. Hoover is not really a red rose but the outside of the petals is a deep red while the inner side is just a deeper shade of orange. Growth is the same as its parent although the foliage is some better.

## RED TALISMAN

\$ .60

This is a red sport of Talisman that originated in our field. Growth and foliage same as Talisman. Color a deep maroon red, fading to a lighter shade in the sun, which is characteristic of all red sports of Talisman.

## ROSLYN (Towill 1929)

\$ .50

In the bay section and along the coast, this yellow rose is outstanding. A full golden yellow bloom with deeper shadings in the center and orange splashings on back of petals. A strong upright grower with excellent foliage. A profuse bloomer.

## SEÑORITA De ALVERAZ

(B. R. Cant & Sons 1931)

\$ .60

Although this rose is five years old, the rose public have seen very little of it and have overlooked a real rose. In the field, it has been one of the most charming roses one could ask for. A long pointed bud opening to a large semi-single flower of clear glowing salmon with a satiny sheen, born several together on a branch. Very fragrant. The bush is a low spreading grower (2 ft.) with an abundance of large leathery dark green, resistant foliage. A very profuse continuous bloomer.

## SHOT SILK

\$ .50

A beautiful combination of orange rose overlaid with yellow and suffused with pink. Bush is a good grower with an abundance of glossy, dark green foliage. Will thrive in shade. A continuous bloomer with cup shaped, fragrant flowers.

## SIR HENRY SEAGRAVE

(Dickson 1932) \$ .60

A large, high centered, beautifully formed, fragrant flower of primrose yellow, borne on long, strong stems. Bush is a strong upright bushy grower and a continuous bloomer. For those who like a light yellow, this rose is excellent.

SOEUR THERESE (Gillot 1930) \$ .75

A French rose that is recommended for cool climate only. It has a long pointed bud of golden yellow often streaked with carmine, opening to a large semi-double flower. Foliage is medium size and leathery. A vigorous growing plant and free blooming.

## SOUVENIR De Mme. C. CHAMBARD

(C. Chambard 1931) \$ .75

After observing this rose we can readily understand why it was judged the finest rose of France. A long pointed bud opening to a high centered, beautifully formed flower of coral pink with a satiny sheen. The flower is usually borne singly on a very strong stem on which the foliage extends to within an inch of the rose. As fine a cut flower as Dame Edith Helen. Bush is a moderate grower; fragrant.

SUSAN LOUISE (Adams 1929) \$ .50

This lovely rose has proven satisfactory wherever grown. A seedling of the Belle of Portugal, but a bush rose and a continuous prolific bloomer. Bud is long and slender and of a deeper shade of pink than its parent; stems are long and firm. Growth is extremely vigorous and practically thornless. No garden is complete without Susan Louise.

TALISMAN (Montgomery 1929) \$ .50

The most popular rose in years and a rose that has come to stay. The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. The bud is long pointed and opens to a medium size flower of the same colors. Extremely fragrant. An excellent cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright. Mildews slightly.

THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA \$ .50

A startling combination of vermillion and orange with a reverse of old gold. Excellent as a garden rose as it is nearly always in bloom. Not good as a cut flower. A strong spreading grower, but will not stand heavy pruning.

VESUVIUS \$ .50

Dark velvety crimson with yellow stamens. Excellent in a cool climate. Very vigorous grower and a continuous bloomer. Fragrant.

## VIKTORIA ADELHEID (Kordes 1932) \$1.00

Another rose of brilliant color combinations. The petals are a deep golden yellow with nasturtium red suffusion. Buds are ovoid, borne on strong stems. Bush a dwarf grower, two feet, with bronzy green foliage.

## VILLE De PARIS

\$ .50

An excellent flower in nearly all sections. A large double ovoid bud of sunflower yellow, slightly tinted orange; deeper shade in the center and at the base of petals. A vigorous upright grower with glossy reddish green foliage that is very free of disease.



## ROSE HINTS



Roses are usually hungry and thirsty!

In the early Spring, mulch rose beds with three inches of fairly fresh cow manure. Sprinkle a half tea cup of a well balanced commercial fertilizer around each plant every two months during the growing season.

Keep the ground moist. Water from one to three weeks depending on your soil. Water in the morning *only*.

If you do not use a mulch, cultivate the ground lightly after each watering; just enough to break the crust. Deep cultivating cuts the feeding rootlets.

Roses should not be allowed to go dormant in the summer; keep them growing. It is more harmful to let them dry up than to keep them growing.

## Polyantha Roses



**CECILE BRUNNER**

\$ .50

The sweetheart rose. Buds small, beautifully formed. Flowers light pink with yellow at the base of the petals. A continuous bloomer and fragrant.

**ELLEN POULSEN**

\$ .50

A medium size flower of bright cherry pink, borne in large clusters on strong stems. A strong grower for this type (2½ ft.), with glossy thick foliage. Excellent for borders. A continuous bloomer.

**KAREN POULSEN**

\$ .75

A large type polyantha that grows upright, about 2½ ft. high. The flowers are single, produced in clusters, and are a brilliant unfading scarlet. A continuous bloomer with fine foliage. Excellent for borders.

**MAGNIFIQUE**

\$ .50

A strong growing polyantha with rich green glossy foliage. Flowers are clear pink and semi-double; are borne in large clusters. Long blooming period.

**MRS. R. M. FINCH**

\$ .50

One of the recent polyanthas that is very fine in a cool climate. The handsome flowers, borne in large clusters, are from one to two inches across and of a bright pink, fading to a delicate pink. A very vigorous spreading grower with thick, heavy foliage. Mildews in some localities; blooms throughout the season.

**SALMON SPRAY**

\$ .50

A medium size semi-double rose of light salmon pink with a reverse of carmine. Flowers borne in Clusters. A prolific bloomer. Bush an upright grower (3 ft.) with rich, green, leathery foliage.

**SUNSHINE**

\$ .60

A very lovely dwarf polyantha (1 ft.) that is at its best in a cool climate. Flowers are small, double, of a golden orange, borne in clusters. Sunshine is a continuous bloomer, with foliage free from mildew. Moderately fragrant.

## Climbing Roses



**APELES MESTRES (Pedro Dot 1931) \$ .60**

A climbing Hybrid Perpetual that grows to a height of about fifteen feet and produces very large double flowers of clear yellow that do not fade. Almost every rose is a perfect exhibition flower. This is what the introducers say of Apeles Mestres. It has, however, but one blooming period. Excellent foliage.

**BILLY BOILER \$ .50**

A pillar rose; growth about eight to ten feet. Bud ovoid opening to a large double flower of deep velvety red. A good cut flower; excellent in all sections.

**CLG. CECILE BRUNNER (Pink) \$ .50**

A very rampant grower. Flowers same as the bush.

**CLG. CECILE BRUNNER (Yellow) \$ .50**

A very strong grower. Foliage is a light green and flowers a deep orange yellow.

**COUNTESS OF STRADBROKE \$1.00**

This new Australian rose appears to be one of the finest red climbers introduced in years. Observed over the entire Pacific Coast for the past two years, it has fulfilled all expectations. The new foliage is a reddish brown turning to dark green as it ages. Flowers are large, double, of good form and a dark velvety crimson; very fragrant.

**CLG. DAINTY BESS  
(California Roses Inc. 1935) \$1.00**

The most popular of all single roses is now available as a climber. A strong, clean growing, ever blooming climber. The flowers are the same as on the bush. One of our best climbers. (See picture on back page.)

**CLG. DAME EDITH HELEN \$ .50**

Those who admire this lovely rose will find it more at home as a climber than as a bush. A strong grower producing a fair number of choice pink blooms. Flower same as the bush variety.

**FLYING COLORS \$ .75**

This is one of the two climbing roses exhibited at the last Oakland Spring Garden Show that created such a sensation. The very large single flowers are a light red and are borne several together on a medium length stem. As it is a seedling from Gigantea, it is a most prolific grower. Foliage is light green and disease resistant. A spring bloomer only.

**CLG. ETOILE De HOLLAND** \$ .75

A climbing sport of our best red rose. Bloom and foliage same as the bush. One of the best red climbers if not the best.

**CLG. GOLDEN DAWN** \$1.00

A climbing sport of this popular rose should be a big asset to our list of hybrid tea climbers. The flowers and foliage are identical to the bush variety. Patent applied for.

**CLG. GOLDEN EMBLEM** \$ .50

The same lovely flower and foliage as the bush type. A very strong grower, free bloomer in spring.

**CLG. HADLEY** \$ .50

Same as the bush rose except in habit of growth. A fine, dark red rose in the spring. Subject to mildew in the summer.

**HARBINGER** \$ .75

This was the other of the two climbing roses exhibited at the last Oakland Spring Garden Show that made such a hit with the public. The bud is long and pointed opening to a large single flower of soft pink. As it is a seedling of Gigantea, it is a very hardy climber and vigorous with few thorns. Fine light green foliage. A prolific bloomer in the spring only.

**CLG. HOOSIER BEAUTY** \$ .50

The same lovely rich velvety scarlet as the bush type. Very fragrant and blooms over a long period. One of our best red climbers.

**CLG. IRISH FIREFLAME** \$ .50

A climbing sport of the popular bush variety. Flower and foliage same. A very strong grower.

**KITTY KININMONTH** \$ .50

An Australian Climber, very little known, but one you should get acquainted with. Very large, ruffled semi-double blooms of brilliant fadeless pink. An exceptionally strong grower.

**CLG. LADY FORTEVIOT** \$ .75

A climbing sport of the well known bush form. This should make an excellent climber for the coastal regions and other cool climates.

**CLG. LOUISE C. BRESLAU** \$ .50

One of the finest climbers for the west. The blooms are even larger than the bush type. A strong grower with thick leathery, disease resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer.

**MERMAID** \$ .75

One of the most popular climbers. Immense sulphur yellow single flowers with amber stamens. Buds come in huge clusters (often over 40), but it is seldom that over two or three in a cluster come out at once. Blooms throughout the season. Foliage is a deep shiny green; disease resistant. Does not require pruning. Excellent on walls or banks.

**CLG. MME. BUTTERFLY** \$ .50

Same as the bush variety except that it is a strong climber. Salmon flesh with yellow at base of petals.

**MME. STAECHELIN (Spanish Beauty)** \$ .50

A beautiful rose from Spain with long crimson buds that open to large flowers of delicate pink with curled petals stained on the outside with crimson. A vigorous grower. Short blooming period, 6 weeks.

**CLG. MRS. E. P. THOM**

(Howard Rose Co. 1933) \$ .75

Climbing sport of the well known bush variety. Flowers medium size and deep canary yellow. Foliage same glossy green as the bush type. Our best yellow climber.

**CLG. MRS. HERBERT STEVENS** \$ .50

A climbing sport of this beautiful white Tea rose. Probably the best white rose in commerce. Like all Tea roses, the stems are not strong. The quality of the flowers more than make up for the weakness of the stem.

**PAUL'S LEMON PILLAR** \$ .75

The rose lover should become better acquainted with this unusual rose. A medium grower producing a profusion of long, pale yellow buds opening to large, full, very fragrant flowers of sulphur yellow and borne on long strong stems. A fine pillar rose. Foliage mildews slightly in unfavorable locations. A marvelous rose in a cool climate.

**PAUL'S SCARLET** \$ .50

A most spectacular rose in the spring. Entire bush is a mass of medium size intense, vivid scarlet blooms, often producing a scattering of bloom during the summer.

**PHYLLIS BIDE** \$ .50

An everblooming polyantha climber that does not mildew. The bloom, produced in clusters, is about the size of Cecile Brunner and a pale gold shading to carmine pink at edge of petals. A strong grower.

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An extremely vigorous climbing sport of the popular bush type. Flowers and foliage same.

**CLG. QUEEN ALEXANDRA  
(Harkness and Son 1931) \$ .75**

If you are looking for a climbing rose that gives a grand display of color and repeats several times, this is the rose. The first of the season the plant is a solid mass of bloom, after that the recurrent bloom is good but not as heavy. A strong grower.

**REVEIL DIJONNAIS  
(E. M. Buatois, 1931) \$1.00**

A most spectacular color in this beautiful climbing rose. Buds are a golden yellow striped carmine, opening to a semi-double flower five inches across of pleasing shade of red with a large golden yellow center. It usually blooms in clusters of from three to five. Foliage thick, glossy, bronze green. A vigorous climber with a heavy spring bloom, followed by a scattering bloom throughout the rest of the season. (See back cover.)

**CLG. RUTH \$ .75**

A very strong climber with thick, glossy, light green disease resistant foliage. Buds are large, ovoid, opening to a very double, high centered flower of orange, flushed carmine, moderately fragrant. Color best in the Northwest and in the cooler sections of California.

**RUTH ALEXANDER  
(Rena Wilber 1936) \$2.00**

Of all the lovely climbing roses we have seen, this new rose leads the list. In the Northwest this year, it was a gorgeous sight. It has long pointed buds of cadmium orange, topped with peach red, a glorious combination. In the open flower the color blends to a soft orange with brick red stamens. In the bud form, the sepals hold tightly to the petals, which adds greatly to its beauty. The foliage is just as lovely as the flower, a deep green and as glossy as though it had been varnished. We do not know how strong a grower or how long a blooming season it has. An excellent cut flower. Patent applied for.

**SOUVENIR De CLAUDIUS DENOYEL \$ .50**

This rose deserves a place with other good red climbing roses. A moderate climber with healthy disease resistant foliage and a large, double, fragrant, crimson red flower of fine form. Blooms throughout the season.

**CLG. SHOT SILK****(Knight & Sons 1931)****\$ .50**

Another fine climber. A sport of the well known bush variety that is marvelous in the bay section. Flowers slightly larger than the bush type and of the same orange-rose color suffused with pink. Same glossy foliage as bush type.

**CLG. TALISMAN****(Dixie Rose Co. 1932)****\$ .50**

Every rose lover knows the excellent qualities of Talisman. The climber is very vigorous and produces quantities of bloom larger and better than the bush type. You can't go wrong on this one.

**ROSE HINTS**

Ground canes are the best wood on a rose bush. They are the soft new wood coming from around the bud union, with foliage and thorns identical to the older growth. Suckers come from below the bud union and have entirely different foliage, thorns and color. Suckers should be cut out as soon as identified.

Pruning is very important and should be done during the dormant period. Leave new wood cutting out as much of the old wood as is possible to still retain the form of the plant. Cut new wood back about half way and to an outside eye. However you must prune according to the individual plant as no set rule applies to all.

## Standard or Tree Roses



A very choice collection of standard roses is offered to the Rosarian this season. All varieties are budded on I. X. L. stock, which has proven to produce more roses over a longer period of time than any other stock.

Standard roses are most effective when planted along walks, driveways and to add height to the rose garden. Flowers produced on standards are superior to those grown on low bushes. Some varieties are better adapted to tree form than others and with this in mind, the following varieties were budded for standards at the usual height of 40 inches.

Prices: \$2.00 each; 5 or more \$1.75, except where otherwise noted. This price does not include express charges.

**ANGELS MATEU** — Old rose and orange—  
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**ETOILE de HOLLAND** — Dark velvety red.

**FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS** — Orange-apricot.

**GOLDEN DAWN** — Lemon-yellow.

**HINRICH GAEDE** — Orange-red.

**J. OTTO THILOW** — Rose-pink.

**LADY FORTEVIOT** — Gold-yellow-apricot.

**LUCIA ZULOAGA** — Gold-scarlet.

**MARI DOT** — Salmon-gold.

**McGREDY'S IVORY** — Ivory to write.

**MRS. E. P. THOM** — Canary-yellow.

**MRS. SAM McGREDY** — Coppery-salmon.

**ROSLYN** — Golden yellow and orange.

**SEGORITA de ALVERAZ**—Salmon.

**SHOT SILK**—Orange-rose-yellow.

**SOUTHPORT**—Vivid crimson.

**TALISMAN**—Red-yellow-copper.

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**DUCHESS OF PENARANDA** — Coppery-apricot.

**ETOILE De HOLLAND**—Dark velvety red.

**MARI DOT**—Salmon-gold.

**MRS. SAM McGREDY**—Coppery-salmon.

**SEGORITA De ALVERAZ**—Salmon.

A full description will be found under bush roses of the same name.



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of flowers should be.

## Weeping Standard Roses



This year I have some very fine specimens of Weeping Standard Roses. These are most effective when planted in a lawn or at the end of a rose garden.

Weeping standards are climbing roses budded on strong stems at a height of  $5\frac{1}{2}$  feet and trained over an umbrella shaped frame and allowed to droop to the ground.

They are priced at \$5.00 each, bare root. Packing and express charges at cost.

**MERMAID**—A large single yellow bloom produced in large clusters. Foliage very abundant, glossy and free from mildew. A continuous bloomer.

**MINNEHAHA**—Double pink, similar to Dorothy Perkins, but very free of mildew. A spring bloomer, an occasional second bloom.

**PHYLLIS BIDE**—The most popular rose for a Weeping Standard. A small rose similar to Cecile Brunner in size, which blooms in large clusters. A golden yellow tinged with carmine, fading to white edged with bright pink. A continuous bloomer and free of mildew.

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